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SUBJECT	Operational/KOBYSH Contact with former SS Officer in Chile		
ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES			

Action Required: None

Reference : HBRA-14884, 29 January 1965

1. The SS General (fmu) RAU referred to in Reference is probably Walter RAUFF [] a lieutenant colonel in the SS (standartenfuehrer/SS), who served in the R.S.H.A., Amt II (Technical Administration) during World War II and is now a resident of Chile. In December 1962 RAUFF was arrested in Punta Arenas, Chile, for possible extradition to West Germany where he was wanted as a war criminal. Extradition was subsequently denied.

2. It is believed not necessary to have [] try to learn the name of the town in Chile where Vitaliy KOBYSH, correspondent, reportedly saw RAUFF (probably Punta Arenas, where RAUFF lived).

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